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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re:

Applicant(s): Harris et al.

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Serial No.: 10/821,338

Examiner: Roane, A.

Filing Date: April 9, 2004

Art Unit: 3739

Entitled: THERMAL DEVICE FOR ACTIVATABLE THERMOCHEMICAL COMPOSITION

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AMENDMENT (FEE)  
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed December 15, 2004. The shortened statutory period for response of three (3) months for filing this Response was initially set to expire March 15, 2005. This response is accompanied by a Petition for Extension of Time for a period of Three (3) Months, resetting the period for response to expire on June 15, 2005. Therefore, this Response is considered timely filed.

Reconsideration of this application, including all pending claims, is respectfully

requested in light of the amendments and accompanying remarks set forth below.

**AMENDMENT**

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendment to the Specification** begin on page 3.

**Listing of Claims** begins on page 4.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6.